



Transplant Program Survey Activity Transition

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Effective January 1, 2019, State Survey Agencies are responsible for all survey activities relating to transplant programs. In South Dakota the Department of Health Licensure & Certification Office will assume that oversight responsibility. The Center for Clinical Standards and Quality/Quality, Safety & Oversight Group, QSO-19-11-Transplant dated March 29, 2019 memorandum provides guidance on survey activities and expectations for transplant programs. The below web links provides information on the survey protocol for transplant programs.

State Operations Manual Appendix X – Interpretive Guidelines for Organ Transplant Programs - https://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Guidance/Manuals/downloads/som107ap_x_otp.pdf

Required Information for all Applications for Medicare Approval of Transplant Programs - <https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Provider-Enrollment-and-Certification/SurveyCertificationGenInfo/Policy-and-Memos-to-States-and-Regions-Items/QSO-19-11-Transplant.html>

Contact Person or Mailbox for Submission of Changes in Information and Inactivation – patricia.brinkley@state.sd.us and your Organ Procurement Transplantation Network

Survey Training Hyperlink for Transplant Basic Course - <https://surveyortraining.cms.hhs.gov/>

Contact Name or Mailbox for Requests for Verification of Medicare Approval – SCG_transplantteam@cms.hhs.gov

Request for Consideration of Mitigating Factors Checklist page 5 at – <https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Provider-Enrollment-and-Certification/SurveyCertificationGenInfo/Policy-and-Memos-to-States-and-Regions-Items/QSO-19-11-Transplant.html>

Mailbox for Submission of questions by Transplant Providers – SCG_transplantteam@cms.hhs.gov